RESOLUTION NO. 2001-268

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFITS PROGRAM GRANT - LODI ENERGY EFFICIENT WINDOWS AND SHADE SCREEN PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the state has mandated that beginning January 1, 1998, the City of Lodi is obligated to fund various programs through a Public Benefits Charge (PBC) based on a historical electric revenue requirement; and

WHEREAS, the requirement amounts to approximately \$1M per year that must be dedicated to qualifying programs such as energy efficiency. A further stipulation is that these efforts must be done on the customer's side of the meter in order to qualify; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi's Public Benefits Program is comprised of four segments or customer groups: commercial/industrial, residential, community/non-profit, and municipal; and

WHEREAS, one rebate per customer service address in any twelve month period; rebates are \$1.25/square foot for windows, and \$.50/square foot for shade screens; customers may utilize a contractor of their choice, or may install energy efficient windows/shade screens themselves; windows must display the National Fenestration Rating Council (NFRC) approval mark, as well as the EnergyStar logo; shade screens must have the capability of blocking 70% or more of the sun's solar heat gain; and customer must be a City of Lodi Electric Utility customer; and

WHEREAS, the installation of designated/approved energy efficient windows can reduce monthly utility costs (both heating and cooling costs) by up to fifteen percent, while the installation of shade screens can reduce monthly cooling costs by as much as ten percent.

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi Electric Utility recommends extending the Public Benefits Program - Lodi Energy Efficient Window and Shade Screen Program in the amount of \$30,000,00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lodi City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to provide a Public Benefits Program grant in the amount of \$30,000.00 to fund the Lodi Energy Efficient Windows and Shade Screen Program.

Dated: November 21, 2001

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-268 was passed and adopted by the Lodi City Council in a regular meeting held November 21, 2001 by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Pennino and Mayor

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NOES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON

City Clerk